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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Robert NOODELIJK

Group Art Unit: 1661

Serial No.: 09/902,749

Examiner: Anne Marie Grunberg

Filed: July 12, 2001

For: CHRYSANTHEMUM PLANT NAMED SUNNY ELITE REAGAN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired September 18, 2002, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for three months. There is also attached our Check No. 16091 in the amount of \$460.00 in payment for:

- ___ Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].
- ___ Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$400.00) [\$200.00].
- X Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$920.00) [\$460.00].

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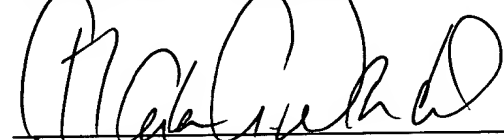
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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